

Tank Car, Truck, and Ship Loaders (53-7121)

Occupation description: Load and unload chemicals and bulk solids, such as coal, sand, and grain into or from tank cars, trucks, or ships using material moving equipment. May perform a variety of other tasks relating to shipment of products. May gauge or sample shipping tanks and test them for leaks.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	393	420	6.9	3	12	14
United States	10,400	10,600	1.9	20	310	330

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is low with high employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	21.80	n/a	12.12	20.33	34.30
Alaska	20.64	21.70	22.76	14.63	21.64	27.79

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
309	66	21.4	59.9	50.6

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	138
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	38
UI claimants previously working in occupation	43

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	110
Number of job position postings	0
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	0.0

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Less than high school

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Short-term on-the-job training

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